Intercessions Fifth Sunday in Ordinary Time—February 4, 2024

Cantor: Chu Kwu Nu Lu Olum

- For the church: that it may demonstrate to the world how to heal the wounded and broken-hearted. *We pray*,
- For those whose suffering is deemed too insignificant or uncomfortable to warrant a response; and for those who cannot identify with the suffering of others. *We pray*,
- For healers of every kind—both traditional and untraditional; and for the rebuilding of a health care system that is more and more fragmented and unaffordable. *We pray*,
- For those struggling to effect diplomatic healing in an increasingly dangerous world. *We pray*,
- For all who touch the suffering through kindness, generosity companionship, or simple acts of consolation. *We pray*,
- For all of us in this community, especially those who are suffering in any way; for those yearning for help; and for those whose suffering we seek to address through our parish ministries and our individual lives. *We pray*,
- We pray now for our own concerns; and for the grace to know how to use what we have for others in need (pause). For all these things, we pray,